

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
**Haihong ZHENG**

Art Unit: 2157

Application No.: 09/992,790  
Confirmation No.: 7356

Examiner: Hussein A. El Chanti

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For: APPARATUS, AND ASSOCIATED  
METHOD, FOR FACILITATING  
QOS AND BEARER SETUP IN AN  
IP-BASED COMMUNICATION  
SYSTEM

Customer No.: 30678

**Response to Final Office Action Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action (“Office Action”) mailed on October 17, 2007, Applicant submits the following response. Should any fees be due other than those noted on an accompanying paper, please charge such fees, or if an overpayment has been made, credit such overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 22-0185.